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Applicant(s): Kazuya Kishimoto

Group Art Unit:

2141

Serial No.:

10/051,221

Examiner:

Tan Lien

Filed:

January 18, 2002

Title:

Work-Flow Cooperation Processing Apparatus, Work-Flow Cooperation Processing

System, Work-Flow-System Cooperation Method, Program Therefor, and Recording

**Medium Therefor** 

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Date: May 27, 2005

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# RESPONSE A TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (IF REQUIRED)

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee is calculated as shown below:

Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest # Previously Paid For	# Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims:	11	20		\$50.00	\$
Independent Claims:	5	5		\$200.00	\$
1st Presentation of	f Multiple Dependent Claims			\$360.00	\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$

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	Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below.					
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	Enclose referen	ed is an Information Disclosure Statement together with Form PTC ce(s):	O-1449 and a copy ofcited				
		Enclosed is a certification under 37 CFR 1.97(e).					
		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$180.0 Account No. 19-2746.	00 under 37 CFR 1.17(p) to Deposit				
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	Enclos	ed is a Submission Under 37 CFR §1.129(a).					
-	Enclosed is a Terminal Disclaimer And Certificate Under 37 CFR §3.73(b). The Commissioner is herekauthorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 under 37 CFR 1.20(d) to Deposit Account No. 19-2746. A duplication of this transmittal letter is enclosed.						
		Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 the sum of \$ . A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.					
Date:	May 27	7, 2005 Respectfully subm	nitted,				
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#### **RESPONSE A**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2005 (Paper No./Mail Date 20050222), please amend the above-identified application as follows: